

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

CONGRATULATIONS TO DUSTIN
JOHNSON OF IRMO

HON. JOE WILSON

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, June 23, 2016

Mr. WILSON of South Carolina. Mr. Speaker, on Sunday, South Carolina native Dustin Johnson won his first major golf title at the U.S. Open.

Dustin, a native of the Midlands, won the 2016 U.S. Open at Oakmont Country Club

near Pittsburgh. Dustin played an incredible round on a tough course, finishing 4-under 276, which is the lowest winning score in the nine U.S. Opens held at Oakmont.

Dustin is a graduate of Dutch Fork High School in Irmo, South Carolina. He played at the collegiate level at Coastal Carolina University in Conway, went professional in 2007, and then in 2008 earned his PGA Tour card. Dustin won his first PGA Tour event at the Turning Stone Resort Championship and since has secured ten first place finishes on the PGA tour. Dustin is a strong talent, ranking

number three in the Official World Golf Rankings. As a child he was recognized by PGA pro Jimmy Koosa of Weed Hill Driving Range and now pro at Charwood Country Club of the Town of Pine Ridge.

To his fiancée, Paulina Gretzky, and son Tatum, congratulations to you as well. Best wishes Dustin for continued success due to dedicated effort.

In conclusion, God Bless Our Troops and may the President by his actions never forget September 11th in the Global War on Terrorism.

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